

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>FEE TRANSMITTAL</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">O I P E for FY 2001</p> <p style="text-align: center;">JAN 8 2002</p> <p style="text-align: center;">TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT \$114.00</p>				<p>Application No.: 09/512,742</p> <p>Filing Date: February 24, 2000</p> <p>First Named Inventor: Ronald Underwood et al.</p> <p>Examiner Name: L. Cohen</p> <p>Group Art Unit: 3739</p> <p>Attorney Docket No.: S-3-1</p>																																																																																																																								
<p><b>METHOD OF PAYMENT</b></p> <p>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:  <b>Deposit Account No. 50-0359</b>  ArthroCare Corporation  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge any additional fee required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status.</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> Payment Enclosed</p>				<p><b>FEE CALCULATION (continued)</b></p> <p><b>3. 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<p>**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above</p> <p><b>SUBMITTED BY:</b></p> <p>John T. Raffle Reg. 38,585 Ph: (408) 736-0224</p>				<p>*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid</p> <p>Date: 1/12/01</p>																																																																																																																								